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KORNELIS A. SCHOUHAMER IMMINK

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Title: RECORD CARRIER CONTAINING A SIGNAL HAVING A SEQUENCE OF  
SUCCESSIVE INFORMATION SIGNAL PORTIONS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATES

Sir:

The undersigned Attorney of Record hereby revokes all prior appointments (if any) of Associate Attorney(s) or Agent(s) in the above-captioned case and appoints:

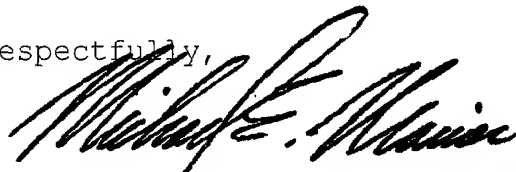
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c/o U.S. PHILIPS CORPORATION, Intellectual Property Department, 580 White Plains Road, Tarrytown, New York 10591, his Associate Attorney(s)/Agent(s) with all the usual powers to prosecute the above-identified application and any division or continuation thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

ALL CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING THIS APPLICATION AND THE LETTERS PATENT WHEN GRANTED SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERSIGNED ATTORNEY OF RECORD.

Respectfully,



Michael E. Marion, Reg. 32,266  
Attorney of Record

Dated at Tarrytown, New York  
this 6<sup>TH</sup> day of JULY, 2001.

# REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION and POWER OF ATTORNEY BY THE INVENTOR

Attorney's Docket No.

PHN 14.746R

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 5,920,272, granted July 6, 1999, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled RECORD CARRIER CONTAINING A SIGNAL HAVING A SEQUENCE OF SUCCESSIVE INFORMATION SIGNAL PORTIONS

the specification of which (check one)

☒ is attached hereto with preliminary amendment.

☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by the amendment(s) referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulation, §1.56(a).

I verify believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid, for the reasons described below:

By reason of the patentee claiming more or less than he had the right to claim in the patent.

In claim 1, for example, "signal value" has been changed to -logical value—which applicant believes is a broadening of the claims.

Every error in the patent which was corrected in the present reissue application, and is not covered by a prior oath/declaration submitted in this application, arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

## PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (DAY, MONTH, YEAR)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119
Europe	94200387	15 February 1994	YES

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application (s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35 United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

## PRIOR UNITED STATES APPLICATION(S)

APPLICATION SERIAL NUMBER	FILING DATE	STATUS (PATENTED, PENDING, ABANDONED)

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

**POWER OF ATTORNEY:** As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. (list name and registration number)

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This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.		
Name of Patentee(s) KORNELIS A. SCHOUHAMER IMMINK		
Patent Number 5,920,272	Date Patent Issued July 6, 1999	
Title of Invention RECORD CARRIER CONTAINING A SIGNAL HAVING A SEQUENCE OF SUCCESSIVE INFORMATION SIGNAL PORTIONS		
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